GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

SUBJECT.

Passage money to Mr. A. Beckwith
Dy. Inspector of Mines

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n. - The Comptroller - No. 616/29 of 30-7-06
Enquiries whether Mr. Beckwith is entitled to double fare on account of his passage from
Mon. & States that the usual allowances granted to officers appointed in Europe on
account of their passage to India is Single fare.
o - The Secretary - Geological Dept. No. 7C 1296 of 7-8-06
Calls for the papers (in original) connected with G.O. No. (Geol) 2668 of 8-6-06
appointing Mr. Beckwith, Dy. Inspector of Mines in Mysore
rom - The Secretary - Geological Depart. No. 395 of 14-8-06
Forwards the papers called for & requests their return when done with
- The Secretary - Geological Depart. No. 7C 1803 of 29-8-06
Enquiries why double 1st class fare from London to Bangalore was offered as a term
appointment to Mr. Beckwith while the usual allowance granted to officers appointed
Europe is a Single fare for the journey performed by sea -
rom. The Secretary - Geological Depart. No. 1051/19-05-06 of 1-11-06

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... that the offer of double 1st. class fare to Mr. Beckwith was made by Dr. Smeeth in London England when negotiating for his services & that he is unable to say what consideration he had in view in making it. It is suspected that as Dr. Smeeth will return to duty about the 15th of Dec. the matter may be allowed to lie over till then.

6. From - The Secretary - Geological Department No. 1537/22-12-06
Informs that he offered Mr. Beckwith double 1st. class fare from London to Bangalore on the basis of what was given Mr. Simmes when he was first appointed to the Department, viz. travelling expenses equal to double 1st. class fare from Sydney N.S.W. to Bangalore

7. Do. - The Comptroller, Secy. Geological Department & Heads of Depts. No. 21 5938-80 of 31-1-07
Sanctions the fare as a special case with the direction that in future only single fare should

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FILE HEADING.

Mr Beckwith's Services

The Comptr Govt of H. Highness

No. 616/29 Dated 30.7.06 Received 1.8.06

Adverting to G.O: No: H: 8842-3 S.7.344-05-2 of the 27.6.06, enquires whether, under the terms on which Mr Beckwith's Services were loaned he is entitled to double fare on account of his passage from London & states that the usual allowances granted to officers attached in Europe on account of their passage

NOTES AND ORDERS

May the normal charges sanctioned for the Entertainment of this officer be called for? Submitted with a draft for approval calling for the same

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To the Secretary to Govt: in the Geol: Deptt: No: H: 1296 dated 7.8.06. calls for the papers (in original) connected with G.O: No: (Geol:) 2668 dated 8.6.06, appointing Mr. L. H. Beckwith Deputy Inspector of Mines in Europe

From the Secretary to Govt: in the Geol: Deptt No: 395 dated 14.8.06

Forwards the papers on the subject & requests that they may be returned when no longer required.

Submitted with a draft for approval or other orders.

K.S.
20.8.06

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One of the terms of appointment offered on 28/2/06 to Mr. Beckwith by the Secy Geological Dept was that he would be given Double first class fare from London to Bangalore. Mr. Beckwith accepted the offer in his letter dated 22.3.06.

On receipt of a copy of the order of appointment in this office on 10.6.06 i.e. after Mr. Beckwith's arrival

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at Bangalore, it was Confirmed in in the Financial Branch in the usual Course. As the matter was one of an appointment and as the terms of such appointment had been settled and sanctioned in the Geological Secretariat, the order as recd. was Confirmed. That the grant of double first class fare was an unusual term of appointment was not noticed when the order was Confirmed.

A draft asking the Secy Geological Dept to state how double first class fare was offered while the usual allowance is only a single fare is put up.

Subn to Secy.

Mysore 22.8.06

To The Secretary to Govt. in the Geological Dept
No. H 1803 of 29-8-06

Enquires why double first class fare from Kolar to Bangalore was offered as a term of appointment to Mr. Beckwith in his letter No. 1739 of 28-2-06 to him

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while the usual allowance granted to officers appointed in Europe on account of their passage to India is only a single fare for the journey performed by sea -

From The Secretary to Govt. in the Geological Departt.

No. 1051/19/05-06 1-11-06

States that the offer of double first class fare to Mr. Beckwith was made by Dr. Smeeth in England when negotiating for his services & that he is unable to say what considerations he had in view in making it and suggests that as Dr. Smeeth will return to duty about the 10th of Dec, the matter may be allowed to lie over till then

Submd. May this be kept in suspense till then

BK
9/11/06

Yes
11-11-06

From the Secy to Govt. Geol. Deptt. No. 1537/22.12.0

Informs that he offered him double First Class Fare from London to Bangalore on the basis of what was given to himself when he was first appointed to the Deptt travelling expenses equal to double first class fare from Sydney, N.S.W., to Bangalore

Submitted BK 7/1/07.

Dr. Smeeth says special stress was laid on the fact that a memo of the terms of the appointment of Mr. Beckwith, submitted to the late Dewan was strictly observed & stated that

that double first class fare from London to Bangalore had been offered to Mr. Beckwith and that the terms proposed & been approved & the late Dewan. (Papers flagged S. & T.). But it is important to note that the paper T was confined to be a mere memo of qualifications of Mr. Beckwith, for so it was referred to in the note of the Offg Secy & the 7th Feby 06. and that the terms approved & the Dewan on 13. 2. 06 were not there contained in paper T but there extracted in the above note from the covering letter of Mr. Smeeth. For paper T contained 2 alternative proposals in Rupees & pay, and also double first class fare, while the letter and the Offg Secy's note referred to only one of the alternatives no mention being made of the Rupee pay of Rs 400 - 50 - 700. In the note the term 'usual travelling expenses' occurs which again finds place in the Council Resolution and the letter to the Residency.

It would thus appear that there was no occasion to pass any adverse comment

The Council Resolution to granting double

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Mr Whetherell, who was granted 75£ as passage money (said to be equivalent to a fare & a half) and double 1st Class fare from Bombay to Bangalore, and is of opinion that the terms offered to him and accepted by Mr Beckwith may be held valid as a Special case

Under the circumstances represented and on the analogy of the precedent quoted re Dr Smith & Mr Whetherell, double 1st class fare may, I submit, be sanctioned as a Special case, as the same was not noticed in proper time.

Submitted to the Secretary.

The ~~passage money paid~~ travelling expenses paid to Dr Smith and Mr Whetherell may be verified & the office kept submission to the Secretary

As the payment of double first class fare was distinctly refused to Mr Beckwith in view of precedents, I- may as a special case be allowed, with the remark that hereafter only single fare should be allowed in the case of officers newly

on account of his passage from England
was only £50/-

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt humble Servant

Comptroller

No. 7612 9/5/d

General and Revenue Secretariat

The Secretary to Govt
of P. & P.W.

Date of issue —do—

Signed by W. McKerrachar

Sir,

I am directed to request you to be so good as to forward, in original, for reference & return, papers connected with G.O. No. (Geol.) 2668 of the 8.6.06, appointing Mr. L.H. Beckinsale, Dy. Inspector of Mines in Burma.

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MYSORE GEOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

DATED BANGALORE, 14th August 1906.

No. 395
one file

From

E. W. WETHERELL, ESQ., A.R.C.S., F.G.S.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

Geological Department.

K.S. Chandrasekhara Iyer, Esquire, B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,Gen.& Rev.Depts.

In compliance with your letter No.Fl.1296/ Gl.Fin.42-06-2, dated 7th August 1906, I have the honour to forward herewith the papers (in original) connected with Government Order No.2668, dated 8th June 1906, appointing Mr.L.H. Beckwith as Deputy Inspector of Mines in Mysore and to request that they may be returned to this office when no longer required

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

E W Wetherell

Offg.Secretary to Government,
Geological Department.

RAI N. G. BASU BAHADUR, M.A.,
COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT.

SIR,

Adverting to Government Or
Fl. 8842-3 / Gl. Fl. 344-05-2 dated the 27 June ob confirming
the order issued to the Geological department
appointing Mr. Beckwith Deputy Inspector
of Mines and permitting him to draw double
first class fare on account of his pas-
sage from London, I have the honour to
enquire whether under the terms on which
Mr. Beckwith's services were engaged, he
is entitled to double first class fare
the usual allowance granted to Officers
appointed in Europe on account of their
passage to India is single fare, and not
double the fare as stated in the Govern-
ment Order. For instance Messrs Bell
and Tait were granted only Rs. 600/-
for their passage from England, and
when Mr. Bernhum resigned his ap-
pointment in the Madras Government
and entered Service in Mysore, the
amount refunded to that Government

From

Rai N. G. Basu Bahadur, M.A.,
Comptroller, Mysore Govt.

To

Esq.,

Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,
Rev. & Genl. Dept.

Dated

Despatched 31-7-06

Received

No. 616
B.R. 29

Subject Matter.

Enquiring whether under the terms on which Mr. Beckwith's services were engaged, he is entitled to double pay allowance.

on account of his passage from England was only £50/-

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant.

E. Bagge
Comptroller.

Diary No. of letter replied to S 14

No. H12 9/6 2

7-8-06

General and Revenue Secretariat

(Gen: Sec)

the 7-8-1906

To

Secretary to Govt.
of H. H. the Nizam

Date of issue do

Signed by W. McKerrachar

Sir

I am directed to request you to be so good as to forward, in original, for reference & return, papers connected with G.O. No. (Geol.) 2668 dtd. 8.6.06, appointing Mr. L. H. Beckinsale, Dy. Inspector of Mines in Nizam's

I have the honour to

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DATED BANGALORE, 14th August 1906.

No. 395
one file

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Offg. Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

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To

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Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,Gen.& Rev.Depts.

SIR,

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

E W Wetherell

Offg.Secretary to Government,
for Geological Department.

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No H/1803

Gl Jn 42-06-4

General and Revenue Secretariat

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the 29-8-1906

To 29-8-06

The Secretary to Govt
in the Genl: Deptt

Date of issue —do—

Signed by W. H. Kenrick

Sir

In returning herewith for reference & ~~return~~ resubmission the enclosures of your letter No: 39.5 dated 14.8.06, on the subject of appointing Mr. L.H. Beckwith a deputy Inspector of Mines in Mysore, I am directed to ~~state~~ inquire and that in your letter, No: 1739 dated 28.2.06 to Mr. ~~Beckwith~~ him you gave him to understand that he would be ~~paid the usual~~ given a ~~allowance~~ Subsistence to join the

^ Why double first class fare from London to Bangalore was offered as a term of appointment to Mr. Beckwith in

allowance

~~Passages~~ granted to Officers appointed
in Europe on account of their passage
to India is Single fare ~~and to~~ for the journey performed
~~Before he the mistake Commenced~~
~~therein may now be rectified~~.

I have the d

Secretary

K.B.
20/5/06

Mr
25/5/06

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MYSORE GEOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

DATED BANGALORE, 1st November 1906

E. W. WETHERELL, ESQ., A.R.C.S., F.G.S.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

Geological Department.

To

M.S. Chandrasekhara Iyer, Esquire, M.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His Highness

the Maharaja of Mysore, Gen. & Rev. Depts.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.Fl.1803/ Gl.Fin.42-06-4, dated 29th August 1906, and reminder thereto, No.2950, dated 27th October 1906, on the subject of the offer of Double first class fare from London to Bangalore to Mr.L.H. Beckwith for joining his appointment, I have the honour to inform you that the offer in question was made by Dr.Smeeth in England when negotiating for Dr.Beckwith's services and I am unable to say what considerations he had in view in making it. As Dr.Smeeth will return to duty about the 10th of December (i.e. in about 5 weeks) I beg to suggest that the matter may be allowed to lie over till then.

2. The file on the subject will be retransmitted to you with Dr,Smeeth's reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

E.W.Wetherell

Offg.Secretary to Government,
Geological Department.

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DATED, BANGALORE, 22nd Dec. 1906.

DR. W. F. SMEETH, M.A., D.Sc., A.R.S.M., &c.,
Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Geological Department.

K.S. Chandrasekhara Iyer, Esquire, B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Gen.& Rev. Depts.

In reply to your letter No.Fl.1803/Gl.Fin.42 ated the 29th August 1906, about the Travelling expenses offered o Mr.L.H.Beckwith for joining his appointment as Deputy Inpector of Mines under the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, I have the honour to inform you that I offered ouble First Class fare from London to Bangalore on the basis hat was offered and sanctioned to me when I was first appoint o the Department, Viz, travelling expenses equal to double irst Class fare from Sydney, N.S.W., to Bangalore.

Prior to Mr.Beckwith's appointment I sent a Memo of the terms of the appointment for the approval of th Dewan in which I distinctly stated that double First Class from London to Bangalore had been offered and this was submit to Government and the terms proposed approved by the Dewan. Vide note dated 12th February 1906 on Memo No.132, dated 7th

Diary No. of letter replied to 2070

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.
(Gen Fin)

the 31st Jan

Date of issue do

Signed by M. Sreenivasa Iyengar

READ.—

Govt Pro: No: H8842-3 / Gen Fin 344-05
dated the 27th June 1906
Confirming G.O: No: Geological
2668 dated the 8th June 1906
appointing Mr. L. H. Beckwith
Deputy Inspector of Mines

in Mysore vice Mr. George
Lavelle deceased with memo
to the Comptroller intimating
the pay and allowances
of Mr. Beckwith.

Letter no: 616/B&R 29
dated the 30th July 1906

from the Comptroller enquiring whether under the terms on which Mr Beckwith's services were engaged he is entitled to double first class fare from London to Bangalore for joining his appointment & stating that the usual allowances granted to officers appointed in Europe on account of their passage to India is single fare and not double ~~the fare~~

Letter no: 1537 dated the 22nd December 06 from the Secretary, Geological Department, explaining the circumstances under which ~~informing that~~ he offered Mr Beckwith double first class fare from London to Bangalore

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on the basis of what was offered and sanctioned to him when he was first appointed to the Department, viz, travelling expenses equal to double first class fare from Sydney N.S.W to Bangalore and also on a precedent in the case of Mr E. W. Wetherell who was granted passage money which was very nearly a fare and a half and also double first class fare from Bombay to Bangalore and requesting that under the above circumstances the offer made should be held good and passed as a Special Case if necessary.

and requesting that in accordance with the precedent quoted by him viz that of himself and Mr Wetherell, the offer made by him and accepted by Mr Beckwith of double fare from London to Bangalore should be held good and admitted as a Special case

No H 5938-80
Gl Rev 42-06
& 31-1-0

Order thereon
Sanction the payment of double first class fare was distinctly

Offered to Mr. Beckwith in view of precedents, it is ~~allowed~~ granted as a special case. Hereafter only single fare should be allowed, in the case of officers newly appointed from Europe or America.

To

The Comptroller
Secretary, Geological
Dept, returning file
Head of Department